



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WALLACE

408 W Main St » Wallace, NC « 910-285-2534

We Are One Church, on One Mission, Proclaiming One Jesus



October 2025

Ladies Luncheon October 18

We'll hear an encouraging word, share a meal, and enjoy being together on Saturday, October 18 @ 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a friend and come as you are. **RSVP by Oct. 4:** call 910-285-2534, text 910-385-6612, scan the QR code, or sign up on the sheet at the office.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WALLACE

homecoming



Special Guest Worship
The LeVan's

OCTOBER 5TH@9:30AM

Special Guest Speaker
Jeff LeVan

Homecoming Offering

This year's homecoming offering is being used to replace the Sanctuary doors for the safety and security of the church and congregation.

Homecoming, October 5

Celebrate Homecoming with us on Sunday, October 5, at 9:30 a.m. for Homecoming Worship followed by a celebration meal in the Fellowship Hall and on the grounds. Bring a dish to share!



Ladies Luncheon & Gathering

We'll hear an encouraging word, share a meal & enjoy being together.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18TH
10AM-12:30PM
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WALLACE
FELLOWSHIP HALL
408 W MAIN ST, WALLACE, NC 28466
Bring a friend & come as you are.

RSVP - CALL 910-285-2534
OR TEXT 910-385-6612
BY OCTOBER 4TH



⊕ Sign Ups

Volunteers Sign Ups

Please see our sign up sheets posted on the office window if you are available and willing to be a Wallace Kids or Nursery volunteer, Greeter, or would like to be in the upcoming Christmas program.

⊕ Prayer Requests

Remember in Prayer

Those in our community whom God has called us to lead to Christ and minister to in His love. Alan Baker, Ronnie Boone, Ray Bradshaw, Earl Brinkley, Charles Bristow, Rhonda Cave, Nick English, Ben Everidge, Beth Everidge, Tom Fowler, Ben & Debra Klett, Donna Miller, Steve Mills, Evelyn Pritchard, Ronnie Rich, Bertha Mae Rogers, Jimmy Stallings, Stephen Thompson, Belinda Turner, Lynn Wood, lost people in our community.

Sympathy to the Family of:

*Teena Deer (Dr. Rev. Lauren Deer's Mother)
Charlie Kirk*

⊕ Kitchen Crew



Left to right: Roena Faircloth, Janet Walker, Gail Cavanaugh, Sarah Perry, Sharon Teachey, and Janet Bryan.

⊕ Outreach

TOUCH-A-TRUCK



Touch A Truck, November 8

Happy Fall from FBC Wallace Outreach and Follow-Up committee. We are planning a "Touch A Truck" event on Saturday, November 8th from 10 am-1 pm on the grounds of the church. So when you see fire trucks, police cars, tractors, and all sorts of equipment here, don't worry, we're just providing a fun outing for the children of the community, and hopefully, an opportunity to connect someone to the love of Jesus. We also hope to add a few other things for the children and their parents to participate in that day.

Although our committee is planning this event, we need some volunteers to help out. If you can volunteer a few hours that day, please let Donna Marshburn (910-289-8392) know. You can also let the church office know and it will be relayed to me. Thank you all for your help and support of this event.

⊕ Contact Info.

Please Update/Provide the Church with Any Contact Information Changes

Please contact Kim in the church office with any change of address or contact information: 910-285-2534/office.fbcw@gmail.com, or fill out the tear-off Connection Card on the bulletin and place in an offering box at any time throughout the year.

WMU Meeting, October 13

All women of the church, please join us on the second Monday of each month at 10:30 a.m. in R305. Our next meeting is Monday, Oct. 13 @ 10:30 a.m. Please see Sue Baker for more information.



"Share the love of Jesus"

by providing warm coats & the gospel to residents of NYC

Also be in prayer as our state goal is to collect 10,000 coats!

All coats must be new or very slightly used!

The deadline to have your coats to Charity Mission Center is November 3rd

WMU Coats for the City Collection

The WMU is collecting new and slightly used coats for the "Coats for the City" Ministry. Everyone is encouraged to donate coats! The coats can be dropped off in the Welcome Center before October 31. Please see Sue Baker for more information.



Harvest to Holidays
5th annual Festival
Saturday
October 25th,
2025
10:00am - 3:00pm
1333 W. Charity Rd.
Rose Hill, NC 28458

Eastern Baptist Men  BBQ COOK OFF <i>Come Hungry!</i>	Kid's Turkey  Calling Contest made by Juxs Freepix	Reindeer Games <i>for the kids!</i>  Image by Freepix
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Local Artisans & Food Vendors, BBQ Cookoff, Kid's Turkey Calling Contest, Live Christian Music, Bouncy Houses and Reindeer Games for the Kids!

All Proceeds Benefit
"The Paul Langston
Wheelchair Ramp Fund"

For Vendor & Contest Info
contact our office
M-F, 9am-3pm @ (910) 293-7077

Sponsored by Eastern
Baptist Association,
Women on Mission & our
Great Local Sponsors!

All Eastern Baptist Men
The competition is on!



**"Get your grills smokin' HOT.
'Cause we want to see what ya got!"**

Saturday, October 25th, 2025

Pulled & Chopped BBQ Pork Competition

Judging will take place around 10:00 am during the
Annual Harvest to Holidays Festival-

Then be ready to sell all of that great grilled pork on a
sandwich, tray or by the pound!

Proceeds to benefit

"The Paul Langston Wheelchair Ramp Fund"

Please sign up by October 1st

For More Information Contact: Tammy Weeks @ (910)385-1567

⊕ Senior Adults



Alabama Theater Christmas Trip

We are heading off to the Alabama Theater for their amazing and wonderful Christmas program, followed by dinner at the Chestnut Hill Restaurant. We are departing from the church parking lot at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday morning, December 2. We are stopping for a quick lunch on the way, and arriving at the theater by 12:45 where you will have time to purchase some popcorn and/or a drink to enjoy during the show. Dinner is immediately following the show.

Tickets cost \$80 per person for members/non-members. Ticket costs includes the show, dinner, and transportation. You will need money for lunch and any snacks or souvenirs you purchase at the theater.

There are only 25 tickets available for this trip so don't mess around! You might miss your opportunity for the fun, fellowship, entertainment, and excitement! Please see Kim in the office **before October 31**, to sign up / pay for your tickets!

⊕ Senior Adults



Senior Adult Lunch, November 11

Tuesday, Nov. 11 @ 11:30 a.m.: Thanksgiving Meal! Bring a dish to share. Invite a friend, and join us for a time of great food and fellowship!

⊕ Men's Dinner

Men's Dinner, October 7

All men of the church, please join us on **Tuesday, October 7**, at 6:00 p.m. at **Golden City in Wallace**, for food and fellowship. We'll meet the first Tuesday of each month. Please see Wayne Aramini for more information.



⊕ OCC Shoeboxes



OCC Packing Party, November 9

We'll have our Annual OCC Shoebox Packing Party on Sunday, November 9 @ 6 p.m. after our Fall Church Conference at 5:00 p.m. See Michelle Blanchard for details.

OCC Dedication Sunday, November 23

We'll have our Annual OCC Shoebox Dedication on Sunday, November 23 @ 9:30 a.m. during worship.

⊕ Surveys

Nominating Committee Survey for 2026 Leadership

Please take a few moments and fill out the survey included in your bulletin and **return it by Sunday, October 19**, to one of the offering boxes or baskets on the tables located in the Foyer, Welcome Center or outside of the Fellowship Hall.

⊕ Fall Conference

Fall Conference, November 9

We'll have our Fall Conference on Sunday, Nov. 9 @ 5 p.m. in the Sanctuary followed by our OCC Packing Party at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We'll present the 2026 proposed budget and Ministry & Leadership Team Volunteers for 2026.

⊕ OCC Shoeboxes



Operation Christmas Child (Drop Off in Welcome Center Area)

Items greatly needed to pack the OCC boxes:

Combs, Wash Cloths, Erasers, Coloring books for younger children, Ball Point Pens, Gloves, Toboggan, and Socks.

October: Hair bows, ponytail holders, combs & brushes

Scan the QR code for a direct link to order OCC/Samaritan's Purse pre-approved items from Amazon.



We encourage you to participate in any way you can, whether that means donating items, helping to pack shoeboxes, or spreading the word about this initiative to others. Your generosity can help make a difference in the lives of children who may not have access to basic necessities.

Thank you for your support, and may God bless you abundantly as we work together to serve those in need and reach to the ends of the earth!

Also check out: wowsupplies.com for sampler bundles and other shoebox items that are available.

⊕ The Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper, October 12

We'll have Communion on Sunday, October 12 @ 9:30 a.m. during worship.



People often say, “It’s about the journey, not the destination,” when their travel plans don’t work out how they expected. This phrase couldn’t have been more true for Job, who went through a shocking journey. In this 4-week series, kids will hear from Job’s story as he learned to navigate loss and trust God’s itinerary every step of the way. Through the story of Job’s perseverance and faithfulness, kids will learn that God is with them no matter what they go through, they can show God’s love in small ways, God is bigger than they could ever understand, and they can trust God will make everything right.



First Baptist Church Wallace
Christmas Program
Sunday, December 7 @ 4:00 pm

*Light refreshments in the Fellowship Hall
after the program*

Bring your friends and neighbors!

Christmas Program Sign Ups

Please see our sign up sheet posted on the office window if you are interested and willing to participate in our Christmas Program on Sunday, December 7 @ 4 p.m. See Donna Marshburn for details.

Youth Deer Corn Fundraiser

Thanks so much to all who came out to support our Youth for the Deer Corn Fundraiser. We raised \$2,919.40, for the Youth!

Clean Up Day



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Church Staff

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Ways to Give



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IN PERSON ONLINE EASY TITHE APP SCAN HERE

fbcwallace.org/give

Download on the App Store
GET IT ON Google Play

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Church Texts

Text the word, "update" to 910-285-2534 to receive general church text updates.

Worship Services

First Baptist Church Worship Services

8:30 a.m. Breakfast in the Fellowship Hall
9:30 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary
10:45 a.m. Life Groups for All Ages

FBC Store

Check Out Our Online Store!

Go to our website: <https://www.fbcwallace.org/shop>.

We have everything you may want to represent First Baptist Church on our website! Visit the "Shop" page. With this, if you don't see a design you like, you can customize any apparel in the shop with our logos. The options are unlimited with changing logos, sizes, and placements. Get creative, have fun, and support First Baptist Wallace!



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Office Hours

Monday: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Friday: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



Volunteers

October Volunteers

Worship Nursery

10/5-
10/12-
10/19-
10/26-



Wallace Kids Pre-K (3-5 years)

10/5-Donna Marshburn, Emelie Acosta
10/12-Donna Marshburn
10/19-Donna Marshburn, Beverly Benton
10/26-Lynn Futrell, Sarah Perry

Wallace Kids (6 yrs-5th Gr), R203

10/5-Juliana Guthrie, Jennifer Costin
10/12-Crystal Stallings, Makayla Stallings
10/19-Cindy & Mark Pearce
10/26-Bobbie King, Hartleigh Harrelson

Tellers

10/6-(Mon.) Sue Baker, Beverly Benton
10/13-(Mon.) Sue Baker, Beverly Benton
10/20-(Mon.) Sue Baker, Beverly Benton
10/27-(Mon.) Sue Baker, Beverly Benton



Newsletter



Nov. Newsletter Submission
Deadline: Oct. 15, 2025
Please email articles to
office.fbew@gmail.com
Please make articles brief !

On the Record

Attendance

Life Groups

9-7	9-14	9-21	9-28
—	98	83	87

Worship

9-7	9-14	9-21	9-28
151	172	165	134

Budget and Receipts

2025 Budget	\$443,739.00
Offering Receipts To Date 9-30-2025	\$342,350.94

Oct. Birthdays

7 Marie Casteen
9 Kathy Hendrickson
12 Lisa Boyette
12 Olivia Bradshaw
12 Drew Hendrickson
14 Susan Ayers
14 Linda Sikes
16 Roger Coombs
16 Sammy Marshburn
17 Jerry Teachey
18 Caleb LeVan



19 Bertha Wise
19 Alan Baker
22 Lynne Castles
26 Rhonda Cave
26 Steve Mills
29 Robert McGowen
30 Amie Cavanaugh



First Baptist Events

October 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
 FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH WALLACE 408 W Main St » Wallace, NC « 910-285-2534			1 10:30 am-Fellowship & Bible Study, FH	2 Set Up For Homecoming 5:30 pm-FH Reserved	3 Set Up For Homecoming 7:00 pm-Homecoming Choir Practice
5 HOMECOMING 9:30 am-Worship 10:00 am-Wallace Kids 11:00 am-Meal, FH & Grounds 6:00 pm-Wallace Students	6 6:00 pm-FH Reserved	7 6:00 pm-Men's Dinner @ Golden City, Wallace 6:30 pm-Worship Band	8 10:30 am-Fellowship & Bible Study, FH	9 5:30 pm-FH Reserved	10 Youth Carowinds Trip
12 THE LORD'S SUPPER 88:30 am-Breakfast 9:30 am-Worship 10:00 am-Wallace Kids 10:45 am-Life Groups 6:00 pm-Wallace Students	13 10:30 am-WMU, R305 6:00 pm-FH Reserved	14 6:30 pm-Worship Band	15 Newsletter Deadline 10:30 am-Fellowship & Bible Study, FH	16 5:30 pm-FH Reserved	17 FH Reserved Set Up for Ladies Event/ Lunch
19 Deadline for Surveys 8:30 am-Breakfast 9:30 am-Worship 10:00 am-Wallace Kids 10:45 am-Life Groups 6:00 pm-Wallace Students	20 6:00 pm-FH Reserved	21 6:30 pm-Worship Band	22 10:30 am-Fellowship & Bible Study, FH	23 5:30 pm-FH Reserved	24 10:00 am-3:00 pm EBA Fall Festival @ Charity Missions
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